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AMENDMENT

In response to the Office Action dated October 27, 2006, Applicant respectfully requests amendment and reconsideration of the above-identified application.

Amendments to the Drawings are discussed on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.